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Attention: Chemical Right-to-Know Program

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By sponsoring this chemical, INEOS Oxide. is requesting that it be removed from the Priority Testing List in the 55th Interagency Testing Committee Report (70 FR 7364).

Dana Morisse-Arnold is the technical contact for this submission and can be reached at 979-415-8511.

Sincerely yours,

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Subject: CBI letter for EPA for INEOS Oxide concerning CAS # 68953-70-8

INEOS Oxide, a division of INEOS Americas, LLC, produces a product called Alkanolamine 5503, which has an impurity. This impurity is known as *Oxirane*, reaction products with ammonia, distn. residue, CAS Registry Number 68953-70-8. In October of this year, INEOS sent a letter notifying EPA of INEOS intention to co sponsor a study of this impurity for HPV. The letter was marked as CBI (confidential business information). EPA has asked for a redacted letter. The original letter has been reviewed and there was no CBI in the original submission.

To this end, the original copy (unsigned) plus the company sanitized version (signed) has been included for EPA perusal. If this is not suitable or if more is needed, please contact: Dana Morisse-Arnold for this submission and can be reached at 979-415-8511.

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Company Sanitized Version copy of submission for TSCA CBIC (dma 30.nov.05)